

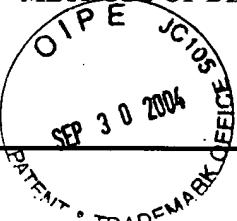
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Large Entity)

Docket No.
002.00190

In Re Application Of: Muimo et al.

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
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Invention: METHODS OF DETERMINING ALTERED NDPK FUNCTIONS AND THE DIAGNOSIS OF CYSTIC FIBROSIS



COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of July 28, 2004 above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

- One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: August 28, 2004 Date _____ until: September 28, 2004 Date _____

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The fee for the extension of time is \$110 and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
 - The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0772
 - If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-0772

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Dated:

September 28, 2004

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on 9/28/04 with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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